HOUSE RESOLUTION No. ____

Introduced by:	Ruppel, Borders	

A HOUSE RESOLUTION to honor Sawyer Sparks.

Whereas, Eighteen-year-old Sawyer Sparks is the 2005-2006 Indiana FFA State Southern Vice President.

Whereas, Sawyer is the son of Ron and Sue Sparks.

Whereas, while in office, Sawyer will speak to over 9,000 students and FFA supporters, present numerous workshops and conferences, and participate in goodwill tours throughout the state.

Whereas, one of Sawyer's responsibilities as a state officer is to develop relationships with leaders in the government, education, business, and agriculture sectors.

Whereas, over the past four years, Sawyer has been active on the chapter, district, state, and national level and has served as the Chapter President and Reporter as well as the District President and Reporter.

Whereas, Sawyer's supervised agricultural experience is beef

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production and he has expanded his beef production project by working closely with his father on the family farm.

Whereas, he also raises horses for show purposes for 4-H and open shows.

Whereas, after serving the Indiana FFA Organization, Sawyer plans to attend Vincennes University to major in agriculture and then plans on attending Purdue University to double major in agriculture sales, marketing and agriculture education, Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives congratulates Sawyer Sparks on his selection as the 2005-2006 state southern region vice president for the Indiana Future Farmers of America and wishes him success at Purdue University.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to Sawyer Sparks and his parents, Ron and Sue Sparks.

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